THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL) : (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. About 1400 million tonnes of coal reserves are present in Andal area in West Bengal as per the regional exploration done by the Geological Survey of India (GSI) in the area. The quality of coal has been determined by the GSI.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. An Airport has been proposed to be constructed on this area. If the Airport is constructed, coal mining will not be done below the proposed Airport and some adjoining area for safety reasons.

Cases of dowry death and harassment of women

†55. DR. PRABHA THAKUR : Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether there has been any decrease in the number of incidents of deaths and harassment of married women in dowry related cases;

(b) the details thereof during the last three years, State-wise;

(c) whether the new legislation enacted to stop domestic violence has been able to protect women against domestic violence and harassment; and

(d) if so, the details thereof during one year before and one year after its enforcement, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA TIRATH) : (a) and (b) The cases of dowry death as well as cases registered under the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 have registered an increasing trend. The State/UT-wise details of cases of dowry death (Section 304B IPC) registered during 2005-2007 are enclosed at Statement-I (See below). Similar details in respect of Dowry Prohibition Act are enclosed at Statement-II (See below).

(c) and (d) The Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005 is a civil law aimed at protecting various rights of women facing domestic violence. The law has been in force for 3 years. During this period, the number of cases registered under it have registered an increasing trend indicating that more and more victims have sought relief under this law. The details of cases registered under the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005 are given in the Statement. [Refer to the Statement appended to the Answer to S.Q. No. 44 Part (a) to (e)].

† Orignial notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Statement-I

Cases REGISTERED (CR), CASES CHARGESHEETED (CS) Cases Convicted (CV), Persons Arrested (PAR), Persons Chargesheeted (PCS) & Persons Convicted (PCV) under Dowry Deaths during 2005-2007

		2005						2006						2007					
Sl.	State	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
1.	Andhra Pradesh	443	473	118	1280	1329	202	519	426	73	1274	1062	248	613	573	97	1562	1450	252
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3.	Assam	99	61	15	174	99	31	105	74	30	201	144	33	100	72	20	172	139	29
4.	Bihar	1014	680	110	2323	2162	223	1188	749	138	2674	2255	355	1172	1028	167	3265	2512	375
5.	Chhattisgarh	100	91	26	296	289	60	103	99	23	273	267	69	100	106	23	247	241	131
6.	Goa	2	3	0	2	9	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	8	0	0
7.	Gujarat	48	48	10	136	139	16	50	43	3	150	133	5	42	38	4	121	139	11
8.	Haryana	212	185	52	481	502	141	255	215	69	566	514	169	269	238	62	572	581	160
9.	Himachal Pradesh	2	1	1	6	3	1	3	4	1	12	13	1	8	5	1	31	29	3
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	5	7	1	26	23	1	10	8	0	12	13	0	9	7	0	21	21	0

11.	Jharkhand	257	166	71	503	421	118	281	170	60	557	474	140	303	223	92	559	518	131
12.	Karnataka	261	233	63	578	538	129	244	213	41	587	521	81	251	189	27	582	620	66
13.	Kerala	21	18	10	31	19	18	25	21	6	39	37	13	27	27	4	40	52	8
14.	Madhya Pradesh	739	715	262	1992	2023	716	764	735	280	2203	2187	663	742	738	279	2127	2120	727
15.	Maharashtra	341	336	34	1379	1315	72	387	374	27	1348	1266	76	436	376	30	1349	1286	89
16.	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17.	Meghalaya	1	0	0	1	0	0	6	3	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	4	1	0
18.	Mizoram	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19.	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20.	Orissa	334	268	35	708	714	72	457	317	44	969	990	123	461	338	31	985	866	175
21.	Punjab	99	89	28	246	248	89	130	106	31	331	259	106	133	119	43	316	291	141
22.	Rajasthan	361	281	119	560	559	256	394	327	127	665	672	357	439	330	118	683	674	215
23.	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24.	Tamil Nadu	215	212	71	492	507	152	187	169	48	457	403	98	208	189	64	503	457	117
25.	Tripura	34	28	7	43	35	4	35	22	10	25	11	8	36	21	11	42	40	23
26.	Uttar Pradesh	1564	1367	678	4523	4233	1900	1798	1464	695	5280	4944	2206	2076	1768	739	7310	6018	2551
27.	Uttarakhand	63	48	14	160	135	43	80	51	18	227	187	66	70	74	28	244	225	81
28.	West Bengal	446	389	94	956	808	173	445	478	57	1058	1039	129	451	459	46	1068	1148	73
TOTAL		6665	5703	1821	16896	16107	4417	7467	6069	1781	18875	17394	4946	7950	6919	1886	21784	19428	5358

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
29.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30.	Chandigarh	3	4	0	6	9	0	10	9	0	30	24	0	1	2	3	3	7	8
31.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32.	Daman & Diu	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	3	3	0
33.	Delhi UT	114	95	40	267	227	158	137	134	47	320	309	192	138	123	56	313	272	211
34.	Lakshadweeep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35.	Puducherry	4	2	0	4	5	0	3	7	2	7	9	6	2	3	1	8	7	3
TOTAL UT		122	102	40	277	241	158	151	151	49	359	343	198	143	129	60	329	289	222
TOTAL ALL INDIA		6787	5805	1861	17173	16348	4575	7618	6220	1830	19234	17737	5144	8093	7048	1946	22113	19717	5580

Source : Crime in India Note : Information on disposal by police and courts includes the information on pending cases from presious years also.

Statement-II

Cases REGISTERED (CR), CASES CHARGESHEETED (CS) Cases Convicted (CV), Persons Arrested (PAR), Persons Chargesheeted (PCS) & Persons Convicted (PCV) under Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 during 2005-2007

		2005						2006						2007					
Sl.	State	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV	CR	CS	CV	PAR	PCS	PCV
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
1.	Andhra Pradesh	306	242	39	452	394	76	474	342	28	705	515	71	817	591	26	1201	1176	35
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

3.	Assam	82	45	8	122	88	15	31	58	19	49	77	19	16	21	13	75	40	23
4.	Bihar	789	606	76	1898	1517	149	909	544	68	1674	1621	156	978	681	106	2295	1896	237
5.	Chhattisgarh	5	5	15	16	16	31	9	9	1	31	30	2	14	10	8	38	38	40
6.	Goa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7.	Gujarat	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	2	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
8.	Haryana	7	3	0	10	10	0	7	6	0	23	21	0	8	6	0	21	20	0
9.	Himachal Pradesh	1	2	0	12	7	0	2	2	0	0	5	0	4	2	0	8	4	0
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
11.	Jharkhand	313	187	21	566	579	124	345	244	32	578	432	60	564	274	71	857	706	98
12.	Karnataka	361	245	13	730	615	29	476	365	28	1096	1040	51	517	535	23	1239	1190	52
13.	Kerala	4	2	0	3	1	0	5	5	1	5	6	2	9	3	0	6	4	0
14.	Madhya Pradesh	36	32	23	94	94	35	32	36	15	107	108	36	52	46	15	140	140	28
15.	Maharashtra	23	23	1	75	74	4	55	51	1	178	167	4	45	41	0	141	158	0
16.	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17.	Meghalaya	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18.	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19.	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20.	Orissa	446	324	34	1059	1026	81	1394	896	47	1193	1254	62	1460	1108	63	1509	1404	215

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21.	Punjab	5	1	0	11	2	0	7	3	0	7	6	0	6	3	0	7	5	0
22.	Rajasthan	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	5	5	4	2	1	1	4	4	2
23.	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24.	Tamil Nadu	193	233	68	512	534	147	81	44	104	193	167	596	368	293	28	971	853	75
25.	Tripura	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26.	Uttar Pradesh	586	424	172	1498	1464	526	628	400	266	1682	1579	843	803	448	203	1612	1512	710
27.	Uttarakhand	2	1	1	4	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	2	2	0
28.	West Bengal	18	32	6	97	90	16	25	18	10	27	38	16	40	17	5	145	79	15
29.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
	Total STATE	3178	2407	477	7159	6515	1236	4487	3014	624	7556	7074	1933	5595	4081	562	10271	9231	1532
30.	Chandigarh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
31.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32.	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33.	Delhi UT	9	7	5	15	14	13	15	21	7	23	12	16	16	11	5	23	22	12
34.	Lakshadeeep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35.	Puducherry	17	7	2	23	18	7	2	12	2	2	14	2	11	7	0	26	18	0
TOTAL UT		26	14	7	38	32	20	17	33	9	25	26	18	28	18	5	50	40	12
TOTAL ALL INDIA		3204	2421	484	7197	6547	1256	4504	3047	633	7581	7100	1951	5323	4099	567	10321	9271	1544

Source : Crime in India Note : Information on disposal by police and courts includes the information on pevding cases from previous years also.